

**MINUTES OF THE
TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE**
Wednesday, January 9, 2002 – 2:00 a.m. – Room 405 State Capitol

Members Present:

Sen. David H. Steele, Senate Chair
Rep. Joseph G. Murray, House Chair
Sen. Dan R. Eastman
Sen. Karen Hale
Sen. Peter C. Knudson
Sen. Ed Mayne
Sen. Carlene M. Walker
Rep. Gerry A. Adair
Rep. Don E. Bush
Rep. Stephen D. Clark
Rep. Marda Dillree

Rep. Neil A. Hansen
Rep. David L. Hogue
Rep. Kory M. Holdaway
Rep. Brad King
Rep. Karen W. Morgan
Rep. Max W. Young

Member Absent:

Rep. Stephen Clark

Staff Present:

Mr. Benjamin N. Christensen, Research Analyst
Ms. Karen Allred, Senate Secretary

Note: A list of others present and a copy of materials can be found at <http://www.image.le.state.ut.us.imaging/history.asp> or contact the Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel.

Chair Murray called the meeting to order at 2:07 p.m.

MOTION: Rep. Hansen moved to approve the minutes of November 14, 2001. The motion passed unanimously with Sens. Hale, Mayne, Walker, and Reps. Dillree, Hogue, King and Morgan absent at the time of voting.

1. H.B. 98 Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Streets (K. Holdaway)

Rep. Holdaway presented the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Hansen moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed unanimously, with Sens. Hale, Mayne, Walker, and Reps. Dillree, Hogue, King and Morgan absent at the time of voting.

2. H.B. 210 Recreational Vehicle - Length and Width Amendments (D. Bush)

MOTION: Rep. Bush moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Page 1, Line 7: Delete "shade awnings" and insert "appurtenances"
2. Page 1, Line 22: Delete "Awnings" and insert "Appurtenances"
3. Page 1, Line 24: After "length" insert "of the appurtenances"

The motion passed unanimously with Sens. Hale and Mayne and Reps. Hogue and Morgan absent at the time of voting.

Gary Thorrup, Recreational Vehicle Association , and Rick Clasby, UDOT, spoke in support of the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Knudson moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed unanimously with Sens. Hale and Mayne and Reps. Hogue and Morgan absent for the vote.

3. S.B. 39 Highway Designation (P. Knudson)

MOTION: Sen. Knudson moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Page 1, Line 15: After "Fruitway" insert "on future state highway maps"

The motion passed unanimously with Sens. Hale and Mayne and Rep. Hansen absent at the time of voting.

Susan Thackeray, Box Elder County Economics Director; Steven Pettingill, Pettingill Farms; Randy Matthews, Matthews Farms, and Ralph Nielson, Neilsons Fruit & Produce spoke in support of the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Walker moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed unanimously with Sens. Hale and Mayne, and Rep. Hogue absent at the time of voting.

4. S.B. 98 Outdoor Advertising Amendments (M. Waddoups)

Sen. Waddoups presented the bill.

Carlos Braceras, UDOT, and Dewey Regan, Regan Outdoor Advertising spoke in support of the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Mayne moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Hogue absent at the time of voting.

5. H.B. 65 State Park Access Highways Amendments (D. Bowman)

Rep. Bowman presented the bill.

MOTION: Rep King moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed unanimously with Sens. Hale and Knudson and Rep. Hogue absent at the time of voting.

6. H.B. 74 Safety Inspections Regarding Window Tinting (D. Bowman)

Rep. Bowman presented the bill.

Steve Roberts, State Parks and Recreation spoke in favor of the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Bush moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed unanimously with Sens. Hale and Knudson and Rep. Hogue absent at the time of voting.

7. H.B. 67 Penalty for Distracted Driving (K. Holdaway)

MOTION: Rep. Holdaway moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Page 1, Line 17: After "including" insert ", but not limited to"
2. Page 1, Line 18: Delete "telephone" and insert "phone"

The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Rep. Adair moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Page 1, Line 6: Delete "provides for secondary enforcement of violations, and"
2. Page 1, Line 14: Delete "Secondary enforcement"
3. Page 2, Lines 28-32: Delete lines 28 through 32
4. Page 2, Line 33: Delete "(5)" and insert "(4)"

The motion failed with Reps. Adair, Hogue and Murray voting in favor of the motion and Sens. Eastman, Hale, Knudson, Mayne, Walker and Steel and Reps. Bush, Dillree, Hansen, Holdaway, King, Morgan and Young voting against the motion.

David Creer, Utah Trucking Association asked questions about the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Dillree moved to pass the bill out favorably.

The motion passed with Sens. Eastman, Hale, Knudson, Mayne, Walker and Steele, and Reps. Adair, Dillree, Hogue, Holdaway, King, Morgan, Young and Murray voting in favor of the bill, and Reps. Bush and Hansen voting against the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Mayne moved to adjourn the meeting.

The motion passed unanimously at 3:40 p.m.

